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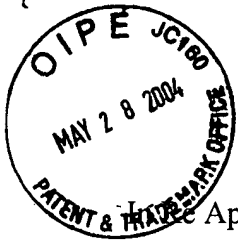
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*Biologically Absorbable Coatings For Implantable Devices Based On  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Dear Examiner:

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

**The Listing of Claims with Claim Amendments** begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**The Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 30 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 46 of this Amendment.